#### Scientific Miscellany.

The amount of force exerted by heat and cold in expansion and contraction of metal is equal to that which would be required to stretch or compress it to the same extent by mechanical means.

In addition to supplying crops with the necessary moisture, rain has a distinet manurial value. At Rothamsted, the well-known tarmer of Sir John R. Lawes, it has been shown that, with an annual rainfall of little less than thirtytwo inches, each acre of land receives every year in the rain water over fourteen pounds pure chlorine, seventeen pounds of sulphuric acid, and between two and three pounds ammoura.

In one of his lectures before the Royal Institute, London, Prof. Lodge illustrated the lately discovered fact that smoke and dust are removed by electricity by exhibiting a couple of glass jars filled with smoke and dust, and which were instantly rendered clear by discharging through them a current of electricity, on a large scale, over London would be as effective.

Alfred Carpenter, of the Marine Survey Clice, Bombay, has observed Macacus monkeys on the Island of South Burmah opening oysters with a stone. They bring the stone from high water mark down to low water, selecting such stones as they can easily grasp. They effect the opening by striking the base of the upper valve will it dislocates and breaks up. They n extract the oyster with the finger thumb, occasionally putting the uth straight to the broken shell. way they have chosez is the easiay to open the shell.

interesting statement is made in last municipal reports of the corration of Chelsen, near London, that ontrary to what has generally been mmed in the relations of occupation d health, the sewermen of that place w marvelons health, and vitality, withstanding they spend seven hours ily in the sewers, often in cramped positions, dealing with offensive and ngerous matter. One of the seweren, who is now pensioned off, is 86 years old, and was a sewerman for more than twenty-eight years; another who is yet at work is 74, and has folowed his occupation more than thirty Bars.

It is asserted by Mr. Ashburner, the geologist, that not only is natural gas not a modern or recent discovery, but that even its utilization for the purpose of the mechanic arts was long ago suc-cessfully attempted in China, where, y pipes of bamboo, it was conveyed m natural wells to suitable furnaces, d by means of terra-cotta burners of table size and construction was con-Of its origin, concerning so many divers theories have advanced. Mr. Ashburner is igly of the opin on that the gas from the decomposition of forms of animal or vegetable life imbedded in the rocks in certa'n situations.

# A Little Fun at Home.

"A little nonsense now and then is relished by the best of men."

So said the old poet Horace, and although he wrote in Latin, he was not far from right after all. So do not be afraid of a little fun at home, good people. Do not shut your houses least the sun should fade cour carpets; and your hearts, least a laugh should shake down a few old musty cobwebs, that are hanging there. If you want to ruln your sons, let them think that all mirth and social enjoyment must be left without when they come home at When once a home is regarded as only a place to eat, drink and sleep in, the work is begun that ends in gambling houses and reckless degradation. Young people must have fun and relaxation somewhere; if they do not find it at their own hearth-stone, they will seek it at other and less profitable places. Therefore, let the fire burn brightly in winter, and let the doors and windows be cheerfully thrown open in summer, and make the homestead delightful with those little arts that parents so ewell understand. Do not repress the spirits of your children. Half an hour of merriment within doors and merriment of a home, blots out the emembrance of many a care and nnoyance during the day; and the they can take with them is the unseen influence right little home sanctum. —! hris-

# The Missonrian's Rage.

You killed a fellow two or three weeks ago, didn't you?"

"Yes. I laid a duck out in good

shape."
-Who was he?"

Some newspaper reporter." How did it bappee?

"Why, he came around ax n' a lot fool questions about my dad. axed how old he was, and when I said e was 80, the fellow called h m an oc-I don't allow no duffer old man names, so I just and he dropped."—Ne-Journal.

## New Idea.

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#### The Hour Before Bedtime.

The hour before bedtime, in the early dark of winter days, is, perhaps, the most trying for a mother with a brood of young children. A quiet, fireside game that calls for low-toned voices and no running of little feet, sitting sometimes in their nighties by the warm hearthstone while baby's head sleepily droops lower and lower, the half lights of the fire play roft, y over the eager, trusting little faces upturned to yours, is easier, often, for a spent mother to follow than a good-night

We had several such games for our little folks, some of them original, and some of them ourselves played, when a little child sitting by our mother's knee, in the firelight that has forever gone out in the old home.

Game No. 1 .-- Mamma and each child wise enough to count six is given six kernels of corn, or six beans, or six bottons. (Ten is the original number. but we limit to six to simplify and abreviate the game. Then mamma slyly sl ps from one to six kernels into her right hand-no one must see how many-and, turning to her right-handneighbor, briefly asks in a whisper: "Hall-gull?" That neighbor promptly replies: "Handfuls!" To which mamma laconically responds: "Parcel how The waiting little man or many ?" maiden eagerly seans the closed hand as though to read the number hidden within. "Two," he answers as a guess.

"I hold five: you must give me three moneys," and in proof of her statement shows on her open palm five kernels of grain.

This right-hand neighbor pays her due out of his store, and then, hiding in own his pink-tinted, or chapped, or grimy little fist from one to three grains of corn, whispers to his righthand neighbor the old query: "Hullgulle

"Handful," she answers, mentally guessing how many kernels his closed hand holds.

Parcel how many?" is the next question, and on receiving the answer "three" jubilantly assures her that she owes him two of her yellow coins for a single gra'n he held in his right hand.

So the game goes on from left to right, round the happy group before the tire, each paying his due, which is always fixed by the number of coins bethose held and those guessed, and if the guess is correct just so many coins is forfeited to the right hand neighbor.

When one has parted with all his money he is dropped from the game, unless some trusting friend will lend him a coin or two, with which new capital be can again commence business. though if bed time be too near, mamma will not allow such extension of the

Whoever wins all the kernels wins the game. - Home Journal.

## A PERFECT WOMAN.

Her Thirty Points, According to the Spanish, and Her Fifteen, According to the American.

It was a very old Spanish writer who said that a "woman is quite perfeet and absolute in beauty if she has thirty good points." Here they are.

Three things white-the skin, the teeth, the hands.

Three black-the eyes, the eyebrows, the eyelashes.

Three red-the lips, the cheeks, the nails.

long-the body, the hair, the hands.

Three short—the teeth, the ears, the

Three broad-the chest, the brow

the space between the eyebrows. Three narrow-the month, the waist, the instep.

Three large -- the arm, the loin, the

Three fine-the fingers, the hair, the

Three small-the bust, the nose, the

Well suppose she has all these good

physical points, she would still not be "thing of beauty and a joy forever, unless she had the following intellectual and moral points:

1. Intelligence.

Mildness of temper. Modesty.

A kind disposition.

Ability to wash and iron a shirt. A willingness to sew on a button

Patience

A soft melodious voice.

Gentleness

Courage.
 Faith that knows no faltering.

12. A bouyant hope.
13. Cleanliness of person.

14. Taste in dress. 15. A loving heart

## A Strange Pair of Lovers.

A singular attachment exists between a pig and a half-grown cat belonging to Mr. John Grover, of Norwalk, Conn. Shortly after he had purchased the ig a kitten less than 3 weeks old accidently fell into the pen. The pig instead of devouring the intruder, seemed pleased with his new companion and showed it every attention consistent with his hogg sh nature. The attachment was reciprocated by the kitten, which soon made itself at home, and is now to be seen any day, whether the porker is walking or sleep-ing, perched upon his back or curled up under his left ear. The plg guards the kitten with jealous care and shows the most vigorous hostility toward any one who attempts to me lest or pet her. New York World.

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### Commissioner's Sale

In the Circuit Court of the United States for the Northern District of Texas, in the Fifth Circuit, No 103 in Chancery at Dallas. Frederic De Peyster Foster, as Trustee, etc., a citizen of the State of New York, com-plainant, against the Franckiyn Land and cattle Company, a corporation created by and existing under the laws of the State of New Jersey and a citizen of the said State, Gordan Cubard, an alien, and a subject of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and The Western Mortgage and Investment Company, a corporation created by, and existing under, the laws of the State of Missouri, and a citizen of the said State. Defendants. State, Defendants.

State, Defendants.

Notice is Hereby Given, that under and pursuant to the Decree of Foreclosure and Sale entered upon the twenty-fourth day of October, 1887, in the above entitled cause, by the Circuit Court of the United States for the Northern District of Texas, the undersigned, the Special Commissioner in the said Decree named, will upon the 7th day of February, 1888, the same being the first said Decree named, will upon the 7th day of February, ISSS, the same being the first Tuesday in February, ISSS, at 12 o'clock noon, at the door o' the Dallas County Court House in the City of Dallas and State of Texas, expose to sale by public vendue and outery, and sell without right of redemption to the highest bidder, subject to the conditions of sale hereinafter stated, all and singular the real estate of the said defendant, The Francklyn Land and Cattle Company, situated in the Northern District of the said State of Texas, as the same is described in the Mortgage or Deed of Trust and the Supplemental Mortgage executed by the said Cattle Company, to Charles G. Franckand Cattle Company, to Charles G. Franck-lyn and Charles B. Alexander, as Trustees, and bearing date on the first day of Decem-ber, 1882, and the twenty-seventh day of November, 1883, respectively, as retormed by the said Decree of Foreclosure of the same, together with all the estates, rights, property, hereditamen s and appurtenances

described in the said Decree as follows:
"All those certain tracts or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the State of Texas, and located, bounded and described a followed. scribed as follows: All those tracts or par cels of land situate in the county of Hutch thson, in said State of Texas, which, taken together, are bounded located and described as follows: Beginning at the southeast corner of said county and running thence northwardly along the division line between northwardly along the division line between Hutchinson and Roberts counties, twelve (12) miles; thence westwardly at right angles to said division line three (3) miles; thence southwardly parallel with said division line, ten (40) ion line ten (10) miles; thence eastwardly at right angles to said division line one (1 mie; thence Southwardly parallel with said division line two (2) miles to the south

said division line two (2) miles to the south-erly line of Hutchinson county, and thence eastwardly along said southerly line two (2) miles to the place of beginning, contain-ing twenty-one thousand seven hundred and lixty (21,760) acres of land, more or less. "All those tracts or parcels of land stu-ate in the county of Roberts, in said State of Texas, which, taken together, are bound-ed, located and described as fellows: Be-ginning at the southwest corner of said county and running theuce northwardly ginning at the southwest corner of said county and running theuce northwardly along the division line between Roberts and Hutchinson counties, tweive (12) miles; thence castwardly at right angles to said division line fourteen (14) miles; thence southwardly parallel with said division line one (1) mile; thence castwardly at right angles to the said division line two (2) miles; thence southwardly parallel with said division line eleven miles to the southwardly parallel with said division line eleven miles to the southwardly parallel with said division line eleven miles to the southwardly parallel with said division line eleven miles to the southwardly parallel with said division line eleven miles to the southwardly parallel with said division line eleven miles to the southwardly parallel with said division line eleven miles to the southwardly parallel with said division line eleven miles to the southwardly parallel with said division line eleven miles to the southwardly parallel with said division line eleven miles to the southwardly parallel with said division line eleven miles to the southwardly parallel with said division line eleven miles to the southwardly parallel with said division line eleven miles to the southwardly parallel with said division line eleven miles to the southwardly parallel with said division line eleven miles to the southwardly parallel with said division line eleven miles to the southwardly parallel with said division line eleven miles to the southwardly parallel with said division line eleven miles to the southwardly parallel with said division line eleven miles to the southwardly parallel with said division line eleven miles to the southwardly parallel with said division line eleven miles to the southwardly parallel with said division line eleven miles to the southwardly parallel with said division line eleven miles to the southwardly parallel with said division line eleven miles to the southwardly parallel with said division line eleven miles to the southwardly parallel with said div said division the eleven miles to the south-erly line of said Roberts county, and thence westwardly along said sou herly line of said Roberts county sixteen (16) miles to the place of beginning, centaining one hundred and twenty-one thousand six hun-

hundred and twenty-one thousand six hundred (121,600) acres, more or less.

"All those certain tracts or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the county of Gray, in said state of Texas, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the northwest corner of said county of Gray, and running thence southwardly along the division line between Gray and Carson countes thirteen (13) m les; thence castwardly at right angles to said division line fifteen (15) miles; thence northwardly parallel with said division line twelve (12) miles; thence castwardly at northwardly parallel with said division line twelve (12) miles; thence castwardly at right angles to said division line one (1) mile; thence northwardly parallel with said division line one (1) mile to the northerly line of said Gray county, and thence westwardly along said northerly line of Gray county sixteen (16) miles to the place of beginning, containing one hundred and twenty-five thousand four hundred and twenty-five thousand four hundred and try (125,440) agrees, more or less.

"All those certain tracts or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the county of Carson, in said State of Texas, which, taken together, are bounded, located and described as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of said Carson county, and running thence southwardly along the division line between Carson and Gray counties, thirteen (13) miles; thence westwardly at right angles to said division line one (1) mile; thence westwardly at right angles to said division line with said division line one (1) mile; thence westwardly at right angles to said division with said division line one (1) mile; thence westwardly at right angles to said division line one (1) mile; thence southwardly parallel with said division line fourteen (14) miles; thence eastwardly at right angles to said division line one (1) mile; thence southwardly parallel to said division line one (1) mile; thence westwardly at right angles to said division line twelve (12) miles; then northwardly parallel with said division. then northwardly parallel with said division line fifteen (15) miles; thence westwardly at right angles to said division line eleven (11) miles; thence northwardly parallel with said division line twelve miles to the division line between Carson and Hutchinson counties: thence easterly along the said last mentioned division line eighteen (18) miles; thence southwardly at right angles to said last mentioned division line one (1) mile; thence eastwardly parallel with said last mentioned division line one (i) mile; last mentioned division line one (i) mile; thence southwardly at right angles to said last mentioned division line one (i) mile; thence eastwardly parallel with said last mentioned division line three (ii) miles; thence northwardly at right angles to said last mentioned division line two (2) miles, to said last mentioned division line, and thence castwardly along said last mentioned division line two (2) miles to the place of division line two (2) miles to the place of beginning, containing two hundred and eighty-six thousand seven hundred and twenty (286,720) acres, more or less.

"Also, all those certain one hundred and twenty-eight (128) sections of land, number-ed with odd or uneven figures and marked "ptd" on the official map thereof, in the offace of the Commissioner of the General Land office at Austin, Texas; said sections being included in and part of a larger tract of land, which larger tract of land is situ-ate t partly in the county of Gray and part-Texas, and known as Block B, 2, on said map, and which tract is bounded, located and described as follows: Beginning at a point in the division line between Gray and taxon, countries, which point is distant. Carson counties, which point is distant thirteen (13) miles southerly from the norththirteen (13) miles southerly from the north-west corner of Gray county, and running thence eastwardly at right angles to said division line fifteen (15) miles; thence southwardly parallel with said division line nine (9) miles; thence eastwardly at right angles to said division line one (1) mile; thence southwardly parallel with said divis-ion line one (1) mile; thence westwardly at right angles to said divis on line two (2) miles; thence southwardly parallel with said division line two (2) miles; thence eastwardly at right angles to said division line two (2) miles; thence southwardly par-allel with sail division line one (1) mile; line two (2) miles; thence sonthwardly par-allel with sail division line one (1) mile; thence westwardly at right angles to said division line one (1) mile; thence south-wardly parallel with said division line one (1) mile; thence westwardly at right angles to said division line and crossing the same, system (16) miles; thence borthwardly and sixteen (16) miles; thence northwardly and parallel with said division line one (1) mile; parallel with said division line one (1) mile; thence westwardly at right angles to said division line one (1) mile; thence north-wardly and parallel with said division line fourteen (14) miles; thence castwardly at right angles to said division line one (i) mile; thence southwardly parallel with said division line one (1) mile; thence e ist-wardly at right angles to said division line one (1) mile, to said division line at the place of beginning; the same being all the lands one (1) mile, to said division line at the place of beginning; the same being all the lands included in said boundaries which were heretefore conveyed to said New York and Texas Land Company, Limited, be the same more or less, and containing seventy-flye thousand eight hindred and eighty-eight and three-fourths (75,888) acres, more or less. The said lands hereinbefore described being the same lands and premises described and three-fourths (5,888) acres, more of less. The said lands hereinbefore described being the same rands and premises described in the aforesaid deed of conveyance thereof from the New York and Texas Land Co., Limited, to the said defendant, The Franckiyn Land and Cattle Co., dated May 1st, A. D. 1885, and recorded as follows: On the 1st day of August, 1883, by the Clerk of Wheeler county, Texas, in Vol. 1, pp. 146 to 155 inclusive, in the Records of Deeds, etc., for Gray county, Texas, and also recorded on the 3d day of August, 1883, by the said Clerk of Wheeler county, Texas, in Vol. 1, pp. 202 to 211 inclusive, in the Records of Deeds, etc., for Hutchinson County, Texas; and also recorded on the 4th day of August, 1883, by the Clerk of Wheeler County, Texas, in Vol. 1, pp. 183 to 192 in the Records of Deeds of Roberts county, Texas; and also recorded on the 23d day of August, 1883, by the Clerk of Donley county, Texas, in Vol. 1, of Deeds, p. 30 et seq., for Carson county, Texas.

Also six hundred and forty (640) acres of land, situated and described as follows: In Gray county, in the State of Texas, known

and, situated and described as follows: In Gray county, in the State of Texas, known as survey No. 3, Block No. 1, on the waters of the North Fork of the Red River, about fifty-nine (59) miles north and forty-three (43) west of the initial monument, by virtue of Land script No. 14, 2805, Issued to the of Land script No. 14, 2805, Issued to the Houston & Great Northern Railroad Company by the Commissioner of the General Land Office, on May 27th, 1873, beginning at a stake nine hundred and lifty varas east of the southeast corner of No. 1; thence west one thousand nine hundred (1,900 varas to a stake; thence south one thousand nine hundred (1,000) varas to a stake; thence east one thousand nine hundred (1,000) varas to a stake; thence north, crossing North Fork one thousand nine hundred North Fork one thousan (1,000) varas to beginning.

The foregoing real property, except the do acres lastly above described, will be sold as an entirety upon the following terms and conditions

The sale shall be made subject, first, t the lien of a certain deed of Trust executed by the Franckiya Land & Cattle Company to Ira H. Evans as Trustee, to secure the vendor's lien contained in the deed of convendor's lien contained in the deed of conveyance of the said real estate from the New York and Texas Land Company, Limited, to the said defendant the Franckiny Land and Catale Company, and under which deed of trust there now remains due the sum of Seven hundred and Eleven thousand Dollars (\$711,000) with accused interest thereon from June 1st, 1886, as evidenced by five certain iand notes given therefor. The said real estate will also be sold subject, as to a certain land notes given therefor. The said real estate will also be sold subject, as to a portion thereof, to the rights therein of the southern Kausas Railway Company of Texas under and by virtue of the decree of the county court of Wheeler county in the said State of Texas in proceedings to condemn such portion of the lands and premises hereunbefore described for the use of the said Kailway Company for track, de of and cattle-pen grounds, which portion consists of a tract of land two hundred feet in width traversing the said lands hereinbefore described in a westerly direction from the casterly boundary thereof; and fuller description of the said lands so condend invelore described in a westerly direction from the easterly boundary thereof; and fuller description of the said lands so condemned the purchaser or purchasers are referred to the said decree in the comdemnation precedings recorded in the office of the County court of said Wheeler county, Texas, upon the 1st day of August, 1887.

MANNER AND CONDITION OF SALE: The said sale shall be made in the manner fol-lowing, pursuant to the said Decree.

The Special Commissioner will first offe for sale the lands first herein before describ ed, subject to the aforementioned liens thereon, in one parcel, and next in order the 640 acres lastly above described. Before accepting any bid which may be offered for the said real estate said Commissioner will the said real estate said Commissioner will require the person or persons making such bid to deposit with him one per centum of the purchase price of the said real property, and if such purchase price shall be less than \$1,-500,000 then enough in addition to such one per centum to make a deposit equal to the sum of \$15,000, the said deposit to be made either in cash or by a certified check upon a solvent bank.

either in each or by a certified check upon a solvent bank.

Any personal property which belongs to the taid detendant The Francklyn Land and Cattle Company which shall not have been sold by the complainant herein under the approval of this court prior to the date of the said sale shall then he offered for sale by the said Special Commissioner, and ten per cent of the purchase price of such personal property shall be deposited in cas i with the said Commissioner.

As soon as the sale shall have been mad by the said Special Commisioner under this Decree, he will report the same to the court for confirmation, certifying to the court tae compliance by the purchaser or purchasers with the conditions hereinbefore mentioned, the Decree providing that if the bid shall be accepted by the court, and the party making the same shall fail to com-ply with all the conditions and all the or-ders of the court made and to be made in respect thereof, then the sum so deposited shall be forfeited and shall be applied to the payment of the expenses of resale and the costs of this cause, and for the payment of the bonds aforesaid, as the court

ment of the bonds aforesaid, as the court shall order.

In case any bid shall be rejected by the court, the deposit made by the bidder shall be returned to him.

The parts of the Decree following are published for the information of bidders.

"If any bid or bids shall be accepted and acknowledged by the court, and slithe conditions of the sale shall be luily complied with by the purchaser or purchasers, and if the person or persons making such bid shall perform all such conditions as the court shall accept as sufficient for the time being, and when the court shall so when the court shall so the said Special Commissioner shall make to such purchaser or purchasers a deed or "deeds of conveyance and transfer of all the property sold by him under this decree, and thereupon and from thenceforth the purchaser or purchasers of the property hereinbefore so ordered to be sold that he invested with property hereinbelore so ordered to be sold shall be invested with, and hold possession of and enjoy the said mortgaged premises and property, and all the estates, rights, titles and interests pertaining thereto, as fully and freely as the defendant the Franckiyn Land and Cattle Company now holds or enjoys, and at the time of the commencement of this suit held and enjoyed, or is or was entitled to hold and enjoy the same; and, further, that the purchaser or purchasers shall have and be entitled to hold the said property free and discharged from the claims of all parties to this suit, including claims of all parties to this suit, including the complainant and all intervenors herein." It is also provided in the said decree as

follows:

"The balance of the purchase price shall be paid to the said Commissioner within thirty days from the day of sale, the Court reserving the right to resell the premises and property herein directed to be sold on the failure of the purchaser or purchasers, or their assigns, to comply within ten days with any further order of the Court in that regard, and to make the further payments." regard, and to make the further payments of the balance of the purchase price at the time herein specified, and in the manner re-

quired by the said Special Commissoner."

"The balance of the said purcease price, or the entire amount thereof, may be paid either in cash or in the aforesaid bonds or over in cash or in the aforesaid bonds or over due coupons belonging thereto, secured by the said mortgage or deed of trust and sup-plementary mortgage so made by the the said defendant, The Francklyn Land and Cattle Company, as aforesaid, to the said Trustees, the said bonds being received at such price of value as will be equivalent to the just share or distributive amount of the net proceeds of such saie that the hold-er or holders thereof would be entitled to receive in case the entire amount bid were er or holders thereof would be entitled to receive in case the entire amount bid were paid in cash; and if such distributive amount of the net proceeds shall be less than the amount then due upon the said bonds, the said distributive amount to which the holder or holders of the said bonds would be entitled shall be receipted

upon the said bonds respectively.

"And it is further provided that the said special Commissioner at the time of making such saie may, if he believes that a bidder auch sale may, if he believes that a bidder at such sale is not bidding bona fide and with ability to comply with the terms of the same, require such bidder before the property is knocked down to nim to luraish atisfactory evidence of his ability to pay the cash portion of the purchase money as herein provided for.

And it is further provided "that the Commissioner making such sale may either personally or by some other person to be designated by him to act in his name, and by his anthority, adjourn the sale from day to day and from week to week without further advertisement, but only on the request of the complainant, or his solicitors, or by order of this court, or a rudge thereof.

And it is further provided that "upon such sale any of the parties to this suit, or any holder or holders of the aforesaid bonds any holder or hilders of the aforesaid bonds is sued by the said defendant. The Franck-lyn Land and Cattle Company, shall be intitled to bid for, and to become the purchaser or purchasers of, the property so decreed to be sold."

For further information persons proposition to hild are respectfully referred to the

For further information persons proposing to bid are respectfully referred to the said decreee entered in this suit in the office of this court at Graham, and also flied in the office of the clerk of this court at Dailas, Texas, and of which decree certified copies may be seen at the office of Russell Bonedict, Esque., counsel for the complainant, 18 Wall Street, New York Cooffice of Messis. Shepard at tors for complainant

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